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Little Rock, Ark., May 15.—Train
service with the stricken storm dis-
trict around Hot Springs will be re-
stored this afternoon, officials of the
Missouri Pacific railroad here de-
clared.

A wreckage car was busy replac-
ing the track washed away by the
flood waters at Benton and restoring
culverts along the route between
Little Rock and Hot Springs. The
first train to the storm swept section
will leave here at 3 o'clock this af-
ternoon.

Other railroads reported their
tracks were still covered with water
in some spots and service would not
be resumed for two days.

All trains which were stranded by
the storm have been able to return
to their starting places.

The cyclone which devastated this
section, was believed to have spent
its fury after sweeping over Little
Rock. George L. Pierre, a railroad
man was killed by an electric shock
during the storm. Damage to prop-
erty in Little Rock and vicinity
was estimated at more than \$100,000
today.

TWO MEN HOLDING UP MAIL CAR, CLAIMED DIRECTED BY WOMAN

BOOTY SECURED FROM MARION
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ALLEGED CONFEDERATE WHO
FLAGGED THE TRAIN NOW
IN CUSTODY

(By United Press)
Marion, Ill., May 15.—Two
men who held up and robbed a
mail car in a Marion & Eastern
train of \$15,000 to \$20,000 in
money near here late yesterday,
were directed by a woman, author-
ities declared today.

One man, an alleged confederate
who flagged the train shortly after
the robbery, is in custody and two or
three more important arrests are ex-
pected today by posses searching sur-
rounding woods. The suspects were
said to have been in an auto with the
motor running, nearby, when he flag-
ged the train. He gave the name of
Barker, a miner. Possemen said they
found a shot gun inside the machine,
which had no license.

The money comprised mine payrolls.

D. J. Deering, conductor, was seized
and bound by two of the bandits in the
car as the train stopped at a crossing.
The robbers then coolly searched the
mail, seized the registered packages
and fled into the woods.

CHINESE BANDITS SUBMIT TERMS

(By United Press)
Peking, China, May 15.—Chinese
bandits still holding foreigners kid-
naped from the wreck of the Shang-
hai express May 6th, agreed to sub-
mit full details of their demands for
ransom and security today.

America Hands Note to Chinese Government

Washington, May 15.—A note de-
manding immediate steps be taken to
re-inforce the protection of the prin-
cipal government railroad in China
to prevent recurrence of kidnapping
by bandits, has been handed to the
Chinese government by the diploma-
tic corps in Peking, the state depart-
ment was advised today by American
Minister Schurman.

LEACH, CAMPBELL TO BE CANDIDATES

WERE NOMINATED AT PRIMARY
ELECTION IN MILL CITY ON
MONDAY

(By United Press)
Minneapolis, May 15.—Mayor
George E. Leach and William A.
Campbell are the opposing candi-
dates for mayor in Minneapolis.

They were nominated at the pri-
mary election yesterday.

Proposed changes in the city char-
ter fought by liberals were defeated.
These called for redistricting the
city. The proposed amendments re-
ceived more than a majority vote,
but lacked the sixty per cent re-
quired by adoption.

Mayor George E. Leach is com-
pleting his first term as mayor.
Campbell has been out of politics for
several years. He was a member of
the legislature and was a state sen-
ator. In the campaign just ended
he had the endorsement of the Ku
Klux Klan, although he repudiated it.

With returns still incomplete at
noon, Mayor Leach was 10,000 votes
ahead of Mr. Campbell. Six other
candidates for the mayoralty nom-
ination received comparatively small
votes.

Candidates for places in the city
council and other municipal offices
also were nominated yesterday.

RUSSIAN REPLY TO BRITISH ULTIMATUM IS UNSATISFACTORY

(By United Press)
London, May 15.—The Russian
reply to the British ultimatum is
entirely unsatisfactory, Ronald
McNeal, under secretary of for-
eign affairs, told the house of com-
mons late today.

The British government, how-
ever, is willing to confer with M.
Krassin, the soviet envoy here, and
extend the limit so that he may
consult his government in Moscow.
Despite these concessions, the
government remains firm in its in-
tention to accept no more or less
than its original demands, McNeal
declared.

Woman Carpet Weaver Who Will Become Bank Director in New York

Mrs. Sara A. Conboy, a carpet
weaver by trade, is to assume the
duties and office as a director of the
new Federation bank of New York.
She will be the first woman to serve
in such a capacity and will direct
the activities of the bank, which
represents the United Textile Work-
ers of America.

WORLD COURT ISSUE FAILS TO STIR U. S.

PEOPLE REPORTED INDIFFER-
ENT TO HARDING'S ARGUMENT
AND IRRECONCILABLES PLEAS

Washington, May 15.—From all ac-
counts, the country's interest has not
been aroused over the world court
issue. The people seem to be indiffer-
ent to both the president's argument
in favor of American participation
and the efforts of the League of Na-
tions irreconcilables to show that
dire consequences would come to the
United States if it mixed up in any-
thing pertaining to the league.

Plans are being made, however, to
give the president's proposal the dig-
nity of a major political issue. Sen-
ator W. E. Borah has accepted an
invitation to discuss the court at a
meeting in St. Louis, May 24. Sen-
ator R. M. La Follette will start next
month on a tour of the country to
discuss the court and other matters.

Unlike Senator La Follette, Sen-
ator Borah is not to make a tour of
the country on a fixed itinerary, but
he is accepting invitations.

President Harding is engaged in
preparing the few speeches which
he will deliver on his westward jour-
ney. The president regards the Alas-
ka trip in the light of a business
survey designed to give him an in-
imate insight into conditions in that
territory with a view to making rec-
ommendations to congress which
will encourage development of
Alaska's enormous resources.

BODIES EXHUMED; SEARCH FOR POISON

(By United Press)
Newark, N. J., May 14.—Official
authority will be obtained today to
exhume the bodies of Mr. and Mrs.
John C. Creighton in the investiga-
tion of charges that they were poi-
soned by their daughter-in-law Mrs.
John Creighton, Jr.

The latter is locked up in Essex
county jail formally charged in a
grand jury indictment with having
murdered her fifteen year old brother,
James Raymond Avery by giving him
arsenic in small doses.

FLOODS CAUSE HEAVY DAMAGE TO CROPS

Terre Haute, Ind., May 15.—Floods
swept through the Wabash Valley last
night and early today, leaving a heavy
crop damage. Dr. Thomas A. Drake,
a physician, was drowned when a
bridge collapsed under his auto near
Hulton. The body was recovered to-
day.

HULA HULA DANCER FOR KING BENJAMIN MAY TELL STORY

OHIO GIRL WAS CALLED BEFORE
INQUISITORS IN HOUSE OF
DAVID CASE

COLONY, AFTER PUBLICITY GAIN-
ED, EXPECTS MANY VISITORS
IN SUMMER

(By United Press)
St. Joseph, Mich., May 15.—
Stories of the intimate life of
"King" Benjamin Purnell, ruler
of the House of David, were
given today to Judge Harry
Dingeman, conducting the "one
man" grand jury investigation
of the religious cult.

Esther Widders, of Mansfield,
Ohio, a former member of the col-
ony, was called to tell of experiences
while she was a resident of Shiloh.

While her testimony was guarded
in closest secrecy, her story was con-
nected with that of Levina Johnson
Hegner, Hula Hula dancer for Ben-
jamin, who said the king had once
attempted to attack her while she
was in a pantry.

Levina told the authorities Esther
has valuable information regarding
Benjamin's conduct. The Ohio girl
was brought here Sunday and up to
the time of being called before the
inquisitors, she was closeted with
her former Shiloh chum.

The state authorities depended
upon the dancer to induce Esther to
tell all of the facts regarding hap-
penings while she was at the colony.

Despite the many prosecutions and
investigations of the House of Da-
vid, the colony is preparing to reap
the greatest harvest of gold in its
history this summer. The cult de-
pends largely upon activities in the
summer season for its revenue. The
baseball team, the park, the zoo,
band and orchestra are the big money
makers and already the fruits of
publicity are to be seen in the in-
creasing numbers of curious who
visit the park—Eden Springs—
where King Benjamin twice daily
spoke from the platform.

GASOLINE JUMPS 2 CENTS A GALLON

(By United Press)
Kansas City, May 15.—Gasoline
was advanced two cents, to 17½¢
a gallon by several leading oil com-
panies here today.

ARRESTED, CHARGE OF EMBEZZLEMENT

CLAIMED ANDREW L. HELPER
GOT \$200,000 FROM BARTER
PEOPLE

Phoenix, Ariz., May 15.—Andrew
L. Helper, alias L. H. White and
W. H. Henry is under arrest here to-
day on a charge of embezzlement of
\$200,000 from citizens of Barter,
Pennsylvania, through an insurance
and mortgage concern.

Officers fired three shots at Helper
and then beat him into submission
after he had attempted to escape and
then engaged them in a fist fight.

Police said letters identified him
as a man who disappeared from Mar-
tin's Ferry in November. At that
time his auto was found in the river
and his wife reported to authorities
that he was drowned.

PRESIDENT ON ALASKAN TRIP

Washington, May 15.—President
Harding will leave Washington for
his Alaskan trip on the 20th, it was
officially announced at the White
House today.

The official spokesman said it had
been "definitely settled" that the
president would make the trip.

NEW DRIVE OPENED BY CONSPIRATORS TO DEFAUD WALL ST.

(By United Press)
New York, May 15.—A new drive
was opened today by conspirators
seeking to defraud Wall Street
through spurious buying orders.

Numerous false orders to put
stocks on the exchange were re-
ceived over the telephone from
persons who attempted to imper-
sonate regular customers of the
brokers.

The conspirators hoped to throw
this buying power into the ex-
change to force the market up.

This followed a recent deluge of
false orders accompanied by spur-
ious certified checks received by
mail by many eastern brokers
about two weeks ago.

REPORT ON TABERT DEATH SUBMITTED

(By United Press)
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15.—Report
on the investigation of the death of
Martin Tabert, North Dakota victim
in a Florida convict camp, was pre-
pared today for submission to the
state legislature.

The joint executive committee in-
vestigating the youth's death allegedly
at the hands of Walter Higginbotham,
"whipping boss" at the Putnam Lam-
ber company, announced its findings
would be presented perhaps late to-
day.

Meanwhile opponents of the measure
passed by both houses of the legisla-
ture yesterday abolishing corporal
punishment in state and county prison
camps prepared to take action to have
the bills re-considered.

Senator Rowe announced he had
changed his vote on the measure to
make this motion at the afternoon
session of the senate.

CASSETON, N. D., TO HAVE HEALTH PAGEANT

Casserton, N. D., May 15.—Field
and track events for boys and girls, a
health pageant and baseball game
are to feature the annual Cass county
play day here May 19. Caroline J.
Evingston, county superintendent of
schools announced. More than 1,000
children from schools of the county
will take part in the pageant, each
school playing one episode in the
"Triumph of Health." A chorus of
600 children will sing.

MARKET REPORT

(By United Press)

South St. Paul Livestock

South St. Paul, May 15.—Estimated
receipts at the union stockyards to-
day: Cattle, 2,000; calves, 3,500; hogs,
11,700; sheep, 100; cars, 235.

Cattle—Beef steers, \$6.50 to \$9;
cows and heifers, \$4.50 to \$8.25; can-
ners and cutters, \$2.75 to \$4.25; butch-
er bulls, \$4 to \$5; veal calves, \$4 to
\$8.75; stock feeding steers, \$4 to \$8.25.

Hogs—\$5.75 to \$7.45.

Sheep—Lambs, \$7 to \$13.75; ewes,
\$1.50 to \$8; wethers, \$5 to \$8.50; year-
lings, \$7 to \$11.50; bucks, \$4 to \$5.

Minneapolis Cash Grain

Wheat—No. 1 Dark Northern \$1.22½

to \$1.41½; to arrive, \$1.22.

Corn—No. 3 Yellow, 79½¢ to 80½¢;

to arrive, 77½¢.

Oats—No. 3 White, 39½¢ to 40½¢;

to arrive, 39½¢.

Barley—Choice, 60¢ to 62¢.

Rye—No. 2, 73½¢; to arrive, 73½¢.

Flaxseed—Fancy, \$2.98 to \$3.02; to

arrive, \$2.87½.

St. Paul Hay Market

Timothy—No. 1, \$17; No. 2, \$13.50;

No. 3, \$11.

Alfalfa—Standard, \$21; No. 1, \$19.

Clover Mixed—No. 1, \$15; No. 2, \$12.

Midland Hay—No. 1, \$13; No. 2, \$10;

No. 3, \$6.

Chicago Potato Market

Chicago, May 15.—Receipts 324 cars.

Minnesota, \$1.05; Wisconsin, \$1 and

\$1.10; Michigan, \$1.10.

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Washington, May 15.—Henry
Ford has more than an even
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ratic nomination for president
in 1924 if he wants it.

If Ford goes in it will be Ford
against the field and Ford will have
more popular backing than any other
one candidate could show today.

He will be bitterly fought by most
of the leading democratic profes-
sional politicians who do not like
him because he is not a professional
politician. They regard him as an in-
terloper and declare he is not a good
democrat any more than he is a good
republican.

He is not a party man at all in the
sense that to him the party is the
thing and the politicians hate him
for that.

But they are confronted with the
fact that Ford in any way would
carry the democratic south and that
he would pull a big popular vote in
the midwest and far west. His
strength in the industrial section of
the east among the working men
would be considerable, the politicians
admit, although they say he could
not carry any northern states east of
the Allegheny mountains.

Senator P. Harrison, one of the
shrewdest political observers of the
democrats has just come back to
Washington from a tour which car-
ried him south and west. He says
Ford's strength isn't suspected by
most of the politicians.

"If Henry Ford goes into the pri-
maries he will undoubtedly sweep
the south and west" Harrison said
today.

"I am not inflating a boom for
him, nor am I committed to him or to
any other democrat, but the fact is
tremendously strong among the vot-
ers".

Ford wouldn't tell Harrison
whether he intended to run or not.
Harrison spent several hours with
Ford in Detroit recently and found
him ready to talk about almost any-
thing except presidential politics.

If Ford does intend to become a
candidate, he is wise enough to not
throw himself out too early and let
all other candidates take turns in
shooting at him. Belief here is that
he will be a candidate.

DARLING GRAVEL USED IN PAVING AT FERGUS FALLS

Fergus Falls Journal: Three car-
loads of gravel, the first consign-
ment for use in the foundation for
the paving here, arrived over the
Northern Pacific Thursday afternoon.
It comes from the Darling pit near
Little Falls and it is expected that
about 100 carloads will be shipped
in.

The gravel is not gravel in the
sense that we use the term here, but
is composed of small stones, such as
of some lakes. The stones are two
can be scooped up along the shores
or three inches in diameter.

FIVE TRAMPS MEET DEATH ON FREIGHT

(By United Press)
Independence, Kansas, May 15.—
Five tramps riding on a freight train
near here were killed when sixteen cars
were derailed.

Two other men stealing a ride on
the train were injured, one seriously.
The dead and injured were taken to
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Townspeople and businessmen, their property wrecked and damaged by the ten foot wall of water that swept through the town, aided in clearing the wreckage and started searching for the bodies.

The night of destruction and terror for this famous pleasure place in the Ozarks began shortly before dusk. A cloud burst swept down from the hills. A high velocity wind accompanied it.

As the deluge poured down through the streets, asphalt was ripped up and sent tumbling end over end before the torrent.

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Arkadelphia, Ark., May 15.—Reports reaching here today of the disaster at Hot Springs said that 17 children had been killed in the tornado which visited that town last night, accompanied by flood and fire.

The report received here by the telephone company from a line man at Hot Springs said a complete check of the casualties had not been made.

Little Rock, Ark., May 15.—Train service with the stricken storm district around Hot Springs will be restored this afternoon, officials of the Missouri Pacific railroad here declared.

A wreckage car was busy replacing the track washed away by the flood waters at Benton and restoring culverts along the route between Little Rock and Hot Springs. The first train to the storm swept section will leave here at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Other railroads reported their tracks were still covered with water in some spots and service would not be resumed for two days.

All trains which were stranded by the storm have been able to return to their starting places.

The cyclone which devastated this section, was believed to have spent its fury after sweeping over Little Rock. George L. Pierre, a railroad man was killed by an electric shock during the storm. Damage to property in Little Rock and vicinity was estimated at more than \$100,000 today.

TWO MEN HOLDING UP MAIL CAR, CLAIMED DIRECTED BY WOMAN

BOOTY SECURED FROM MARION
& EASTERN RY. \$15,000 TO
\$20,000

ALLEGED CONFEDERATE WHO
FLAGGED THE TRAIN NOW
IN CUSTODY

(By United Press)
Marion, Ill., May 15.—Two men who held up and robbed a mail car in a Marion & Eastern train of \$15,000 to \$20,000 in money near here late yesterday, were directed by a woman, authorities declared today.

One man, an alleged confederate who flagged the train shortly after the robbery, is in custody and two or three more important arrests are expected today by posses searching surrounding woods. The suspects were said to have been in an auto with the motor running, nearby, when he flagged the train. He gave the name of Barker, a miner. Possemen said they found a shot gun inside the machine, which had no license.

The money comprised mine payrolls. D. J. Deering, conductor, was seized and bound by two of the bandits in the car as the train stopped at a crossing. The robbers then coolly searched the mail, seized the registered packages and fled into the woods.

CHINESE BANDITS SUBMIT TERMS

(By United Press)
Peking, China, May 15.—Chinese bandits still holding foreigners kidnapped from the wreck of the Shanghai express May 6th, agreed to submit full details of their demands for ransom and security today.

America Hands Note to Chinese Government

Washington, May 15.—A note demanding immediate steps be taken to re-inforce the protection of the principal government railroad in China to prevent recurrence of kidnapping by bandits, has been handed to the Chinese government by the diplomatic corps in Peking, the state department was advised today by American Minister Schurman.

LEACH, CAMPBELL TO BE CANDIDATES

WERE NOMINATED AT PRIMARY
ELECTION IN MILL CITY ON
MONDAY

(By United Press)
Minneapolis, May 15.—Mayor George E. Leach and William A. Campbell are the opposing candidates for mayor in Minneapolis.

They were nominated at the primary election yesterday. Proposed changes in the city charter fought by liberals were defeated. These called for redistricting the city. The proposed amendments received more than a majority vote, but lacked the sixty per cent required by adoption.

Mayor George E. Leach is completing his first term as mayor. Campbell has been out of politics for several years. He was a member of the legislature and was a state senator. In the campaign just ended he had the endorsement of the Ku Klux Klan, although he repudiated it.

With returns still incomplete at noon, Mayor Leach was 10,000 votes ahead of Mr. Campbell. Six other candidates for the mayoralty nomination received comparatively small votes.

Candidates for places in the city council and other municipal offices also were nominated yesterday.

RUSSIAN REPLY TO BRITISH ULTIMATUM IS UNSATISFACTORY

(By United Press)
London, May 15.—The Russian reply to the British ultimatum is entirely unsatisfactory, Ronald McNeal, under secretary of foreign affairs, told the house of commons late today.

The British government, however, is willing to confer with M. Krassin, the soviet envoy here, and extend the limit so that he may consult his government in Moscow.

Despite these concessions, the government remains firm in its intention to accept no more or less than its original demands, McNeal declared.

Woman Carpet Weaver Who Will Become Bank Director in New York

Mrs. Sara A. Conboy, a carpet weaver by trade, is to assume the duties and office as a director of the new Federation bank of New York. She will be the first woman to serve in such a capacity and will direct the activities of the bank, which represents the United Textile Workers of America.

WORLD COURT ISSUE FAILS TO STIR U. S.

PEOPLE REPORTED INDIFFER-
ENT TO HARDING'S ARGUMENT
AND IRRECONCILABLES PLEAS

Washington, May 15.—From all accounts, the country's interest has not been aroused over the world court issue. The people seem to be indifferent to both the president's argument in favor of American participation and the efforts of the League of Nations irreconcilables to show that dire consequences would come to the United States if it mixed up in anything pertaining to the league.

Plans are being made, however, to give the president's proposal the dignity of a major political issue. Senator W. E. Borah has accepted an invitation to discuss the court at a meeting in St. Louis, May 24. Senator R. M. La Follette will start next month on a tour of the country to discuss the court and other matters.

Unlike Senator La Follette, Senator Borah is not to make a tour of the country on a fixed itinerary, but he is accepting invitations.

President Harding is engaged in preparing the few speeches which he will deliver on his westward journey. The president regards the Alaska trip in the light of a business survey designed to give him an intimate insight into conditions in that territory with a view to making recommendations to congress which will encourage development of Alaska's enormous resources.

BODIES EXHUMED; SEARCH FOR POISON

(By United Press)
Newark, N. J., May 14.—Official authority will be obtained today to exhume the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Creighton in the investigation of charges that they were poisoned by their daughter-in-law Mrs. John Creighton, Jr.

The latter is locked up in Essex county jail formally charged in a grand jury indictment with having murdered her fifteen year old brother, James Raymond Avery by giving him arsenic in small doses.

FLOODS CAUSE HEAVY DAMAGE TO CROPS

Terre Haute, Ind., May 15.—Floods swept through the Wabash Valley last night and early today, leaving a heavy crop damage. Dr. Thomas A. Drake, a physician, was drowned when a bridge collapsed under his auto near Hulton. The body was recovered today.

HULA HULA DANCER FOR KING BENJAMIN MAY TELL STORY

OHIO GIRL WAS CALLED BEFORE
INQUISITORS IN HOUSE OF
DAVID CASE

COLONY, AFTER PUBLICITY GAIN-
ED, EXPECTS MANY VISITORS
IN SUMMER

(By United Press)
St. Joseph, Mich., May 15.—Stories of the intimate life of "King" Benjamin Purnell, ruler of the House of David, were given today to Judge Harry Dingeman, conducting the "one man" grand jury investigation of the religious cult.

Esther Widders, of Mansfield, Ohio, a former member of the colony, was called to tell of experiences while she was a resident of Shiloh.

While her testimony was guarded in closest secrecy, her story was connected with that of Levena Johnson Hegner, Hula Hula dancer for Benjamin, who said the king had once attempted to attack her while she was in a pantry.

Levena told the authorities Esther has valuable information regarding Benjamin's conduct. The Ohio girl was brought here Sunday and up to the time of being called before the inquisitors, she was closeted with her former Shiloh chum.

The state authorities depended upon the dancer to induce Esther to tell all of the facts regarding happenings while she was at the colony.

Despite the many prosecutions and investigations of the House of David, the colony is preparing to reap the greatest harvest of gold in its history this summer. The cult depends largely upon activities in the summer season for its revenue. The baseball team, the park, the zoo, band and orchestra are the big money makers and already the fruits of publicity are to be seen in the increasing numbers of curious who visit the park—Eden Springs—where King Benjamin twice daily spoke from the platform.

GASOLINE JUMPS 2 CENTS A GALLON

(By United Press)
Kansas City, May 15.—Gasoline was advanced two cents, to 17½¢ a gallon by several leading oil companies here today.

ARRESTED, CHARGE OF EMBEZZLEMENT

CLAIMED ANDREW L. HELPER
GOT \$200,000 FROM BARTER
PEOPLE

Phoenix, Ariz., May 15.—Andrew L. Helper, alias L. H. White and W. H. Henry is under arrest here today on a charge of embezzlement of \$200,000 from citizens of Barter, Pennsylvania, through an insurance and mortgage concern.

Officers fired three shots at Helper and then beat him into submission after he had attempted to escape and then engaged them in a fist fight.

Police said letters identified him as a man who disappeared from Martin's Ferry in November. At that time his auto was found in the river and his wife reported to authorities that he was drowned.

PRESIDENT ON ALASKAN TRIP

Washington, May 15.—President Harding will leave Washington for his Alaskan trip on the 20th, it was officially announced at the White House today.

The official spokesman said it had been "definitely settled" that the president would make the trip.

NEW DRIVE OPENED BY CONSPIRATORS TO DEFAUD WALL ST.

(By United Press)
New York, May 15.—A new drive was opened today by conspirators seeking to defraud Wall Street through spurious buying orders.

Numerous false orders to put stocks on the exchange were received over the telephone from persons who attempted to impersonate regular customers of the brokers.

The conspirators hoped to throw this buying power into the exchange to force the market up.

This followed a recent deluge of false orders accompanied by spurious certified checks received by mail by many eastern brokers about two weeks ago.

REPORT ON TABERT DEATH SUBMITTED

(By United Press)
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15.—Report on the investigation of the death of Martin Tabert, North Dakota victim in a Florida convict camp, was prepared today for submission to the state legislature.

The joint executive committee investigating the youth's death allegedly at the hands of Walter Higginbotham, "whipping boss" at the Putnam Lumber company, announced its findings would be presented perhaps late today.

Meanwhile opponents of the measure passed by both houses of the legislature yesterday abolishing corporal punishment in state and county prison camps prepared to take action to have the bills re-considered.

Senator Rowe announced he had changed his vote on the measure to make this motion at the afternoon session of the senate.

CASSETON, N. D., TO HAVE HEALTH PAGEANT

Cassleton, N. D., May 15.—Field and track events for boys and girls, a health pageant and baseball game are to feature the annual Cass county play day here May 19. Caroline J. Evingson, county superintendent of schools announced. More than 1,000 children from schools of the county will take part in the pageant, each school playing one episode in the "Triumph of Health." A chorus of 600 children will sing.

MARKET REPORT

(By United Press)
South St. Paul Livestock
South St. Paul, May 15.—Estimated receipts at the union stockyards today: Cattle, 2,000; calves, 3,500; hogs, 11,700; sheep, 100; cars, 235.
Cattle—Beef steers, \$6.50 to \$9; cows and heifers, \$4.50 to \$8.25; canners and cutters, \$2.75 to \$4.25; butcher bulls, \$4 to \$5; veal calves, \$4 to \$8.75; stock feeding steers, \$4 to \$8.25.
Hogs—\$5.75 to \$7.45.
Sheep—Lambs, \$7 to \$13.75; ewes, \$1.50 to \$8; wethers, \$5 to \$8.50; yearlings, \$7 to \$11.50; bucks, \$4 to \$5.

Minneapolis Cash Grain
Wheat—No. 1 Dark Northern \$1.22½ to \$1.41½; to arrive, \$1.22.
Corn—No. 3 Yellow, 79½¢ to 80½¢; to arrive, 77½¢.
Oats—No. 3 White, 39½¢ to 40½¢; to arrive, 39½¢.
Barley—Choice, 60¢ to 62¢.
Rye—No. 2, 73½¢; to arrive, 73½¢.
Flaxseed—Fancy, \$2.95 to \$3.02; to arrive, \$2.87½.

St. Paul Hay Market
Timothy—No. 1, \$17; No. 2, \$13.50; No. 3, \$11.
Alfalfa—Standard, \$21; No. 1, \$19.
Clover Mixed—No. 1, \$15; No. 2, \$12.
Midland Hay—No. 1, \$13; No. 2, \$10; No. 3, \$6.

Chicago Potato Market
Chicago, May 15.—Receipts 324 cars. Minnesota, \$1.05; Wisconsin, \$1 and \$1.10; Michigan, \$1.10.

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MAN AT ALL

(By United Press)
Washington, May 15.—Henry Ford has more than an even chance of capturing the democratic nomination for president in 1924 if he wants it.

If Ford goes in it will be Ford against the field and Ford will have more popular backing than any other one candidate could show today. He will be bitterly fought by most of the leading democratic professional politicians who do not like him because he is not a professional politician. They regard him as an interloper and declare he is not a good democrat any more than he is a good republican.

He is not a party man at all in the sense that to him the party is the thing and the politicians hate him for that.

But they are confronted with the fact that Ford in any way would carry the democratic south and that he would pull a big popular vote in the midwest and far west. His strength in the industrial section of the east among the working men would be considerable, the politicians admit, although they say he could not carry any northern states east of the Alleghany mountains.

Senator P. Harrison, one of the shrewdest political observers of the democrats has just come back to Washington from a tour which carried him south and west. He says Ford's strength isn't suspected by most of the politicians.

"If Henry Ford goes into the primaries he will undoubtedly sweep the south and west" Harrison said today.

"I am not inflating a boom for him, nor am I committed to him or to any other democrat, but the fact is tremendously strong among the voters."

Ford wouldn't tell Harrison whether he intended to run or not. Harrison spent several hours with Ford in Detroit recently and found him ready to talk about almost anything except presidential politics.

If Ford does intend to become a candidate, he is wise enough to not throw himself out too early and let all other candidates take turns in shooting at him. Belief here is that he will be a candidate.

DARLING GRAVEL USED IN PAVING AT FERGUS FALLS

Fergus Falls Journal: Three carloads of gravel, the first consignment for use in the foundation for the paving here, arrived over the Northern Pacific Thursday afternoon. It comes from the Darling pit near Little Falls and it is expected that about 100 carloads will be shipped in.

The gravel is not gravel in the sense that we use the term here, but is composed of small stones, such as of some lakes. The stones are two can be scooped up along the shores or three inches in diameter.

FIVE TRAMPS MEET DEATH ON FREIGHT

(By United Press)
Independence, Kansas, May 15.—Five tramps riding on a freight train near here were killed when sixteen cars were derailed.

Two other men stealing a ride on the train were injured, one seriously. The dead and injured were taken to Mound Valley. The names of the victims have not been ascertained.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Items for this column will be gladly received. Telephone 74.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for next 24 hours:
 Minnesota—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Colder in east and extreme south portions tonight. Freezing temperature tonight, rising temperature Wednesday.
 Cooperative observer's record May 14—Maximum 70, minimum 36. In evening 65. Rain. Precipitation 0.02 inch. Partly cloudy. Southwest wind.
 May 15—Minimum 41. At noon 50. Northeast wind. Partly cloudy.

James Quinn of Nisswa was a Brainerd visitor Tuesday.

Attorney E. L. Forbes of Pine River was a Brainerd visitor Monday.

Prompt shoe repair service at Graham's. 29116

Mrs. Ashley McKinley and son Fred were passengers for the cities today.

Miss Evelyn Nash has succeeded Miss Martha Moe as stenographer at the Haydon Co.

Nettleton offers 10 homes priced for quick sale. Inquire. 29115

The Julewood orchestra plays at Aitkin armory, Friday, May 18. 11

Miss Mary Soderlund returned to Minneapolis today after visiting her parents for a few days.

Try Jim Graham's new shoe repairing department. 29116

Harry Munson, who has been visiting his sister, Miss Myrtle Munson, returned to his home at Hise, Minn.

Don't fail to see "Powder River" and hear the American Legion singing wartime songs at the Park tonight. 11

Mrs. V. W. Price and baby left this afternoon for Swanville for a week's visit at the home of her parents.

Anyone wishing SAND for filling purposes can get the same at 607 Third Avenue Northeast. Help yourself. 11

C. A. Weyerhaeuser of St. Paul is transacting business here and at Brainerd today.—Little Falls Daily Transcript.

ZENITH COASTER will be given away free to the lucky boy or girl Thursday after school. Alderman-Maghan Company. 29212

Tom Templeton spent the week end with relatives in the city, returning Monday to Minneapolis, where he is now employed.

Abraham Houle, who has been in the U. S. Army service at Ft. Snelling was mustered out and returned to Brainerd Monday.

Buy Energy gasoline at the new Sixth Street Energy Station, or at Lively's, on Saturday, and you will receive a quart of high grade Puritan Motor Oil FREE. 29213

Mrs. Wallace Stallman and little daughter Beverly Jane, left Monday

THE JUNE PATTERNS

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for a months visit with relatives at Laporte City, Iowa.

Mrs. Earl Dally of Pequot arrived today to attend the W. C. T. U. convention in session at the First Congregational church.

All building materials have advanced in price except Wall Paper. Come and get your paper at 29c a double roll. "Near the Water Tower." C. C. Bowen 617 Main St. 29014

Hugo Peterson, of Moline, Ill., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson, has returned to Moline by automobile.

Grand May time ball, Thursday, May 17, at Ironton City Hall. Music by Julewood's orchestra. 11

J. N. Francis, of Linden House, returned from a winter's sojourn in California. He came by way of Portland, being 20 days enroute.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brockway returned from a week's motor trip to Anoka, Champlain and the cities, where they visited relatives and friends.

The Degree of Honor will give an entertainment on Tuesday evening. A small admission will be charged. Members and friends are welcome. 29112

A number of members of the Brainerd Lions club motored to Wadena Tuesday afternoon, where they attended the weekly luncheon of that club.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Merwin left today for Minneapolis where they will attend the wedding of Mr. Merwin's son, Orville, to Miss Victorine Lisse, which event takes place on Thursday, May 17th.

Enjoy a free treat on "Energy" next Saturday, May 19th. A quart of highest grade Puritan Motor Oil will be given away free with each purchase of gasoline at the New Energy Station at 6th and Norwood, or at Lively's garage, on Saturday. 29213

The funeral of Mrs. Anna Langvandet who died Monday morning, will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church, Rev. O. L. Oistad, officiating.

BOYS and GIRLS come down after school Thursday, we are giving that Zenith Coaster away. Alderman-Maghan Company. 29212

A. C. Lindberg of Newton, Iowa, a representative of the Maytag com-

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SIGHT IN LIFE

Is a man or woman who has no "will power" as a result of nerve force exhaustion

All the physical suffering which may be caused by nervous irritability, headaches, backaches, indigestion, heart palpitation, etc., as a result of nerve force exhaustion, are nothing as compared with its awful effects upon the mind and "will power."

The most pitiful sight in life is a man or woman who has "no will" who has noble impulses and desires but not enough "will power" to carry them through. The memory also fails, the judgment is bad and everything therefore seems to go wrong.

In such cases, do not take mere stimulating medicines nor narcotic drugs (which only further injure your delicate nervous system), but what you need is something to put more nerve force into your nerves and more iron into your blood to help make new nerve cells. This is most effectively accomplished by the free use of Nuxated Iron. This valuable product contains the principal chemical constituent of active living nerve force in a form which most resembles that in the brain and nerve cells of man. It also contains strength-giving organic iron for the blood and may therefore be said to be both a blood and a nerve food. Over 4,000,000 people are using it annually. Satisfactory results are guaranteed to every purchaser or the manufacturers will refund your money. Beware of substitutes. Look for the word "Nuxated" on every package. Sold by all druggists.

NUXATED IRON
 For Red Blood, Strength and Endurance

pany, has arrived to put on a month's canvass in this city for this popular washing machine handled by the Brainerd Electric company.

Ed. Lafond, editor of the Little Falls Transcript and postmaster of that city, with M. Oppegard of the Associated Press, stopped in Brainerd enroute to Crooked lake, where Mr. Lafond is building a summer home.

A. C. Lindberg of the Maytag Co., of Newton, Iowa, is in the city putting on a month's canvass. Any courtesies shown him in granting interviews and opportunities for demonstrations will be appreciated by the Brainerd Electric company. 29211

At the distribution of awards last week, Louis Montgomery, employed at the county highway engineer's office, received the diamond ring, and William Byrne the gold watch. A similar contest will be held again in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ainslie of Staples are the proud parents of twins, born at St. Joseph hospital at 12:30 Tuesday morning. The twins, a boy 8 1/2 lb., and a girl 7 3/4 lb., are doing nicely, as is also the mother, who was formerly Miss Edna Orne.

If you like mystery-laughter-excitement-suspense such as was in "The Bat" then see D. W. Griffith's "One Exciting Night" at the Lyceum tonight. 29112

Rev. and Mrs. Fred Errington left this afternoon for Minneapolis where they will attend the state conference of Congregational churches to be held May 16th and 17th at the Park Congregational church. Mr. and Mrs. C. Bruha will leave on the early morning train Wednesday for the conference as delegates from the Brainerd church. 29212

KIDS we are going to give that ZENITH coaster to the lucky boy or girl THURSDAY after school, here. Alderman-Maghan Company. 29212

WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF YOU HAD MILLION?

Jackie Coogan is a millionaire and over—and he's earned it himself. Of course he has a guardian and trust funds and legal and financial advisors to take care of his investments—but still it must be a matter of much thought to Jackie or any other kid of what to do with a million.

Every child has said "Betcha Million." So here opens the contest inaugurated by the New Park, with a prize of a season's pass to the New Park for the best letter on "What I Would Do with a Million Dollars." Don't write over 50 words and address your letter to "Contest Editor, Brainerd Dispatch." All boys and girls under eight may enter the contest.

The contest closes Saturday night. Each contestant will get the chance to see "Daddy," so there is some reward connected with writing the letter even if you do not win the big prize.

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BOY SCOUTS

(By the Organizing Committee)

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2nd. It is educational as well as recreational.

3rd. It develops self reliance, physical fitness, mental alertness and moral cleanliness.

4th. It trains a lad to accept responsibility not only for an assigned task, but for the unexpected emergency.

5th. Scouting is formative—not reformative—a process of making real men out of real boys by a real program which works.

6th. Scouting is "A way of living."

Washington, May 15—Legislation seeking to declare the right of the United States to establish jurisdiction 12 miles off shore will be offered in the next Congress, Senator Thomas Sterling, (rep., S. D.), said. The present limit, he declared, was fixed in the old days on the theory that a cannon placed on shore would shoot three miles to sea, and therefore that a country might be expected to claim jurisdiction over the area it could protect. Now, he said, with guns carrying many times that distance, it would be legal for the United States to claim greater jurisdiction.

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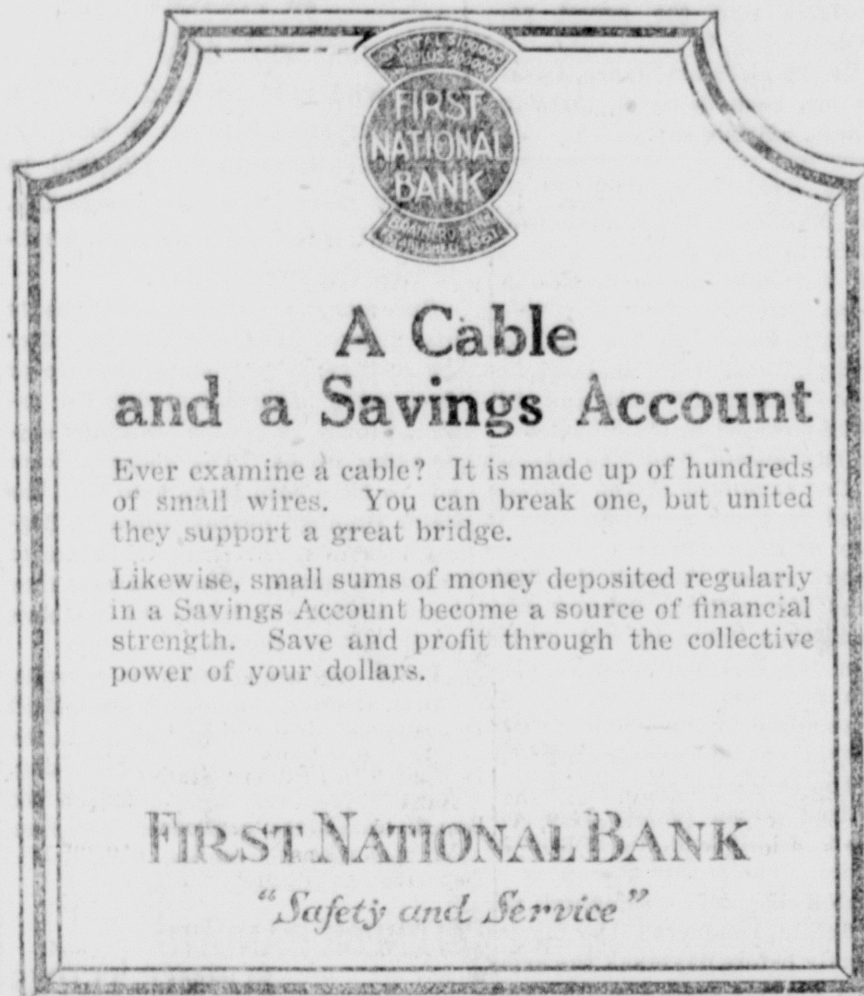
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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Items for this column will be gladly received. Telephone 74.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for next 24 hours:
Minnesota—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Colder in east and extreme south portions tonight. Freezing temperature tonight, rising temperature Wednesday.

Cooperative observer's record:
May 14—Maximum 70, minimum 36. In evening 65. Rain. Precipitation 0.02 inch. Partly cloudy. Southwest wind.
May 15—Minimum 41. At noon 50. Northeast wind. Partly cloudy.

James Quinn of Nisswa was a Brainerd visitor Tuesday.

Attorney E. L. Forbes of Pine River was a Brainerd visitor Monday.

Prompt shoe repair service at Grahams. 29116

Mrs. Ashley McKinley and son Fred were passengers for the cities today.

Miss Evelyn Nash has succeeded Miss Martha Moe as stenographer at the Haydon Co.

Nettleton offers 10 homes priced for quick sale. Inquire. 29115

The Julewood orchestra plays at Aitkin armory, Friday, May 18. 11

Miss Mary Soderlund returned to Minneapolis today after visiting her parents for a few days.

Try Jim Graham's new shoe repairing department. 29116

Harry Munson, who has been visiting his sister, Miss Myrtle Munson, returned to his home at Ilse, Minn.

Don't fail to see "Powder River" and hear the American Legion singing wartime songs at the Park tonight. 11

Mrs. V. W. Price and baby left this afternoon for Swanville for a weeks visit at the home of her parents.

Anyone wishing SAND for filling purposes can get the same at 697 Third Avenue Northeast. Help yourself. 11

C. A. Weyerhaeuser of St. Paul is transacting business here and at Brainerd today. Little Falls Daily Transcript.

ZENITH COASTER will be given away free to the lucky boy or girl Thursday after school. Alderman-Maghan Company. 29212

Tom Templeton spent the week end with relatives in the city, returning Monday to Minneapolis, where he is now employed.

Abraham Houle, who has been in the U. S. Army service at Ft. Snelling was mustered out and returned to Brainerd Monday.

Buy Energy gasoline at the new Sixth Street Energy Station, or at Lively's, on Saturday, and you will receive a quart of high grade Puritan Motor Oil FREE. 29213

Mrs. Wallace Stallman and little daughter Beverly Jane, left Monday

for a months visit with relatives at Laporte City, Iowa.

Mrs. Earl Dally of Pequot arrived today to attend the W. C. T. U. convention in session at the First Congregational church.

All building materials have advanced in price except Wall Paper. Come and get your paper at 20c a double roll, "Near the Water Tower." C. C. Bowen 617 Main St. 29014

Hugo Peterson, of Moline, Ill., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson, has returned to Moline by automobile.

Grand May time ball, Thursday, May 17, at Ironton City Hall. Music by Julewood's orchestra. 11

J. N. Francis, of Linden House, returned from a winters sojourn in California. He came by way of Portland, being 20 days enroute.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brockway returned from a week's motor trip to Anoka, Champlain and the cities, where they visited relatives and friends.

The Degree of Honor will give an entertainment on Tuesday evening. A small admission will be charged. Members and friends are welcome. 29112

A number of members of the Brainerd Lions club motored to Wadena Tuesday afternoon, where they attended the weekly luncheon of that club.

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Enjoy a free treat on "Energy" next Saturday, May 19th. A quart of highest grade Puritan Motor Oil will be given away free with each purchase of gasoline at the New Energy Station at 6th and Norwood, or at Lively's garage, on Saturday. 29213

The funeral of Mrs. Anna Langvandt who died Monday morning, will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church, Rev. O. L. Oistad, officiating.

BOYS and GIRLS come down after school Thursday, we are giving that Zenith Coaster away. Alderman-Maghan Company. 29212

A. C. Lindberg of Newton, Iowa, a representative of the Maytag com-

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SIGHT IN LIFE

Is a man or woman who has no "will power" as a result of nerve force exhaustion

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pany, has arrived to put on a month's canvass in this city for this popular washing machine handled by the Brainerd Electric company.

Ed. Lafond, editor of the Little Falls Transcript and postmaster of that city, with M. Opegard of the Associated Press, stopped in Brainerd enroute to Crooked lake, where Mr. Lafond is building a summer home.

A. C. Lindberg of the Maytag Co. of Newton, Iowa, is in the city putting on a month's canvass. Any courtesies shown him in granting interviews and opportunities for demonstrations will be appreciated by the Brainerd Electric company. 29211

At the distribution of awards last week, Louis Montgomery, employed at the county highway engineer's office, received the diamond ring, and William Byrne the gold watch. A similar contest will be held again in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ainslie of Staples are the proud parents of twins, born at St. Joseph hospital at 12:30 Tuesday morning. The twins, a boy 8½ lb., and a girl 7½ lb., are doing nicely, as is also the mother, who was formerly Miss Edna Orne.

If you like mystery-laughter-excitement-suspense such as was in "The Bat" then see D. W. Griffith's "One Exciting Night" at the Lyceum tonight. 29112

Rev. and Mrs. Fred Errington left this afternoon for Minneapolis where they will attend the state conference of Congregational churches to be held May 16th and 17th at the Park Congregational church. Mr. and Mrs. C. Bruhn will leave on the early morning train Wednesday for the conference as delegates from the Brainerd church.

KIDS we are going to give that ZENITH coaster to the lucky boy or girl THURSDAY after school, be here. Alderman-Maghan Company. 29212

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Jackie Coogan is a millionaire and over—and he's earned it himself. Of course he has a guardian and trust funds and legal and financial advisors to take care of his investments—but still it must be a matter of much thought to Jackie or any other kid of what to do with a million.

Every child has said "Betcha Million." So here opens the contest inaugurated by the New Park, with a prize of a season's pass to the New Park for the best letter on "What I Would Do with a Million Dollars." Don't write over 50 words and address your letter to "Contest Editor, Brainerd Dispatch." All boys and girls under eight may enter the contest.

The contest closes Saturday night. Each contestant will get the chance to see "Daddy," so there is some reward connected with writing the letter even if you do not win the big prize.

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BOY SCOUTS

(By the Organizing Committee)

What Is Scouting?

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2nd. It is educational as well as recreational.

3rd. It develops self reliance, physical fitness, mental alertness and moral cleanliness.

4th. It trains a lad to accept responsibility not only for an assigned task, but for the unexpected emergency.

5th. Scouting is formative—not reformatory—a process of making real men out of real boys by a real program which works.

6th. Scouting is "A way of living."

Washington, May 15—Legislation seeking to declare the right of the United States to establish jurisdiction 12 miles off shore will be offered in the next Congress, Senator Thomas Sterling, (rep., S. D.), said. The present limit, he declared, was fixed in the old days on the theory that a cannon placed on shore would shoot three miles to sea, and therefore that a country might be expected to claim jurisdiction over the area it could protect. Now, he said, with guns carrying many times that distance, it would be legal for the United States to claim greater jurisdiction.

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On motion, the petition was granted and said lands organized and constituted a school district to be designated as Common School District No. 114, and May 19th, 1923, at 8 o'clock P. M. at the East School House of former District No. 4 designated as the time and place for the electors of said district to meet and perfect the organization.

It was further ordered and determined that all moneys, funds and credits, as well as the indebtedness of the district be divided on the basis of their respective valuations.

Pursuant to notice, hearing was had on the petitions of C. J. Dehning and H. S. Nelson who prayed to be set off with their lands from school district No. 34 to District No. 53.

On motion, the petitions were denied.

Pursuant to notice, hearing was had on the petition of the school board of school district No. 55 praying for the attachment to said district of Sections 1, 2, 3, 10, and 11, Township 137, Range 28.

On motion, the petition was granted and it was ordered that said lands be attached to district No. 55 accordingly. John Humphrey was authorized a partial payment of \$691.84 on Job-2206, and the Auditor directed to issue his warrant in payment thereof.

Anna D. Hansner submitted the plat of "Twin Beach" platted from the SW¼NE¼, Lots 2, 3 and 4, N½ of Lot 1, and N. 400 ft. of Lot 5, all in Section 6, Township 137, Range 27.

On motion, the same was approved. John Schmolke submitted the plat of "Pleasant View" platted from Lot 7, Section 32, Township 43, Range 28.

On motion, the same was approved. On motion, \$25.00 each was appropriated to the following American Legion Posts to help cover the costs of Memorial Day Exercises:

Carl Sidney Hanson Post No. 255, Brainerd.

Clarence A. Nelson Post No. 154, Crosby.

Ben Kruger Post No. 49, Pequot. On motion duly carried by the unanimous vote of all members of the Board, it is ordered that no damages be paid or allowed by Crow Wing County to the owners or those interested in the lands affected by reason of the establishment or construction of the road designated as State Road No. 5 by the County Board and duly ordered and established by said Board on July 17th, 1922, for the reason that said Board duly determines that the benefits to all of said property equals the damages to same.

The Board set the date of May 13th to meet as a committee of the whole to view State Road No. 3 and the road to Breezy Point.

The Mining Inspector's Report was received and accepted and three hundred copies ordered printed.

Petitions were received signed by K. C. Haselhorst, John F. Flanigan, J. J. Stock and Minnie C. Wolfram asking for the resurvey of Sections 2 and 3, Township 136, Range 28.

On motion, the same was laid on the table.

The County Engineer was instructed to maintain Ash Avenue and Mill Street within the City of Brainerd, providing the City agrees to reimburse the county for the costs.

The Auditor was authorized to increase the pay by ten dollars a month of janitors George Leese and George Stevens effective May 1st, 1923, and disburse with the services of fireman N. M. Hubbard on May 15th, 1923.

The following applications were granted subject to the approval of the Minnesota Tax Commission:

D. B. McAlpine, for a reduction in the valuation of NE¼NE¼, Section 28-47-29 for years 1920, 1921 and 1922.

D. B. McAlpine, for a reduction in the valuation of NE¼SW¼, Section 34-47-29 for years 1920, 1921 and 1922.

D. B. McAlpine, for a reduction in the valuation of SE¼NE¼, Section 20-47-29 for years 1920, 1921 and 1922.

J. C. Callahan, for a reduction in the valuation of NE¼NW¼, Section 16-44-31.

Belle A. Porter, for a reduction in the valuation of S½NW¼, Section 28, and S½NE¼, Section 29, all in Township 44, Range 31.

R. E. Cody, for a reduction in the valuation of Lot 14, Block 3, A. E. Taylor's Addition to the City of Brainerd.

Margaret A. Cullen, for a reduction in the valuation of Part of Lot 18, Block 41, Town of Brainerd.

Sam Clay, for a reduction in the valuation of E½ of NE¼SW¼ and S½SW¼, Section 29, Township 44, Range 31.

Geo. O. Richardson, for a reduction in the valuation of Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, Section 36-47-30.

Peter Anderson, for a reduction in the valuation of NE¼NE¼, Section 32-44-31.

Martin Johnson, for a reduction in the valuation of W. 25 ft. of Lots 7 to 12, and E. 50 ft. of Lots 13 to 15, Block 160, Town of Brainerd.

Chester Saunders, for a reduction in the valuation of Lot 9, Block 19, Kentings Addition to Crosby.

E. Josephine Pratt, Clerk of School District No. 106, for the cancellation of taxes for years 1913 to 1922 inclusive on Lot 1, Block 3, Merrifield, owned by said school district.

Herman Teiken, Sec'y St. James Catholic Church, for the cancellation of taxes for years 1920 to 1922 inclusive on E. 5 acres of Lot 3, Section 22, and E. 4 acres of W. 7 acres of Lot 1, Section 23, Township 136, Range 25, and said lands to be exempt from taxation for future years.

The following applications were rejected:

Wm. Musolf, for a reduction in the valuation of S. 10 acres of N. 16 acres of SW¼SW¼, Section 11-136-29.

R. E. Cody, for a reduction in the valuation of Lots 23 to 30, Block 2, A. E. Taylor's Addition to the City of Brainerd.

John Schmolke, for a reduction in the valuation of all of Section 27, Township 43, Range 28, except SW¼SW¼.

E. I. duPont de Nemours & Company, for a reduction in their personal property assessment in the Village of Cuyuna.

The application of Martin Swanson for a reduction in the valuation of N½ of N½ of NE¼, Section 2-44-30 was referred to Commissioner Dewing for investigation.

The following report of the Board of Audit was received:

We, the undersigned Board of Audit of Said Crow Wing County, met at the office of the County Treasurer of said County, on the 30th day of April, A. D. 1923 for the purpose of examining and auditing the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of S. R. Adair, Treasurer of said County, and to count and ascertain the kind and description and amount of funds in the County Treasury and belonging thereto.

We respectfully make the following report thereon:

Balance in the Treasury on

Dec. 31st, 1922, date of

last report \$231,923.40

Treasurer's Receipts from Jan. 1st,

1923, to April 30th, 1923:

From Tax Collections \$189,347.76

From Collections on Public

Lands 694.93

From Collections on Private

Redemptions 3,518.21

From Collections on Interest

on County Funds 1,059.13

From Collections of Fines

and Licenses 551.00

From Collections of Wolf

Bounty 478.50

From Collections of Mortgage

Registration Tax 2,893.20

From School Apportionment

..... 46.62

From Misc. Co. Rev. Collections

..... 89.21

From State Road & Bridge

Aid 257.86

From Reimbursement City

of Brainerd 500.00

From Reimbursement Morrison

County 1,558.10

From Rental of Tractor 168.00

From City of Brainerd, Special

Assessments 629.34

From Bond Int. Reimbursement

from State 16,129.90

From Inheritance Tax 1,782.53

From Teacher's Ins. & Retirement

Fund 438.90

From App'n. to Special

Road & Bridge Fund 25.00

Total Balance & Receipts \$452,091.59

By disbursements from Jan. 1st,

1923, to May 1st, 1923, as follows:

Paid Orders on Revenue

Fund \$24,666.79

Paid Orders on Poor Fund

..... 20.00

Paid Warrants on Private

Redemption Fund 5,318.85

Paid Warrants on Road & Bridge

Fund 32,122.82

Paid Warrants on Bond & Interest

Fund 11,986.13

Paid Warrants on General

Ditch Fund 935.00

Paid Warrants on Incident-

al Fund 316.27

Paid Warrants on Town

Funds 70,886.97

Paid Warrants on School

District Fund 99,326.33

Paid Warrants on Sanatorium

..... 3,045.49

Paid Warrants on Refund-

ing 1,621.86

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Tax 1,782.53

Paid Warrants on Teacher's

Ins. & Ret. Fund 767.90

Total disbursements \$252,796.94

Balance in Treasury at

close of business, April

30th, 1923 199,294.65

as appears from the

books of said County

Treasurer.

We find said Treasurer in the

possession of funds covering said balance

in kind and amounts as follows:

Cash in Safe and Drawer 169.37

Cash Orders, Checks, money

..... 233.38

Deposited in Brainerd First

National Bank 52,411.73

Deposited in Brainerd Citizens

State Bank 23,071.71

Deposited in Brainerd State

Bank 23,935.50

Deposited in Deerwood

First National 10,325.16

Deposited in Pequot First

State 5,843.44

Deposited in Crosby First

National 10,000.00

Deposited in Cuyuna First

State 5,000.00

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Deposited in Ironton First

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State 5,000.00

Deposited in Barrows First

State 1,584.06

Deposited in Pequot Farmers

State 6,000.00

Deposited in Jenkins State

Bank 5,035.05

Deposited in Riverton First

State 5,000.00

Deposited in Fort Ripley

State 5,000.00

Deposited in Pequot First

National 10,500.00

Deposited in Trommald

State 5,000.00

Deposited in Brainerd Com-

mercial State 10,000.00

Town Orders 155.05

District School Orders 30.20

Total Funds \$199,294.65

Verification of current tax

collections for the period from January 1st,

1923, to April 30th, 1923, both days

inclusive.

Tax Levy for year 1922 \$1,151,780.50

Additions to the Levy 981.56

Total Debt \$1,152,762.06

Taxes Collected 147,854.36

Taxes abated 2,944.30

Total Credit 150,798.66

Balance uncollected April

30th 1,001,963.40

We hereby certify that we have

verified the correctness of the foregoing

statement by checking the duplicate

receipts with the tax books for the

period above named.

Board of Audit, Crow Wing County—

Wm. A. Syreen,

Chairman, County Board.

C. W. Mahlum,

County Auditor.

W. A. M. Johnston,

Clerk of District Court.

W. W. Wells, Trustee, submitted a

claim for \$500.00 damages caused by

the construction of a road over Lot

2, Section 9, Township 45, Range 28.

On motion, the same was laid on the

table.

The following bills were allowed:

Loretto C. Newman, expenses,

Ex. Sec'y, Child Welfare

Board \$38.06

Mrs. F. A. Knights, expenses,

Child Welfare Board 2.22

Thora Ingelstson, expenses,

County Nurse, April, 1923 24.29

Lively Auto Co., Storage and

Gas for County Nurse's car 10.70

Woodhead Motor Co., gas and

oil for County Nurse's car 15.44

August Swanson, expenses,

Mining Inspector, April, 1923 14.77

Irma C. Hartley, expenses,

Supt. of Schools, April, 1923 80.70

Louis Knudsen, platting and

indexing surveys, April, 1923 75.00

C. W. Mahlum, services on

Board of Audit 12.00

W. A. Johnston, services on

Board of Audit 12.00

Wm. A. Syreen, services on

Board of Audit 12.00

Leonard Mathison, Wood for

Court House (2 bills) 38.00

A. E. Zak, Wood for Court

House 4.50

Frank G. Hall, printing (2

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Pursuant to notice, hearing was had on the petition of the school board of school district No. 55 praying for the attachment to said district of Sections 1, 2, 3, 10, and 11, Township 137, Range 28.

On motion, the petition was granted and it was ordered that said lands be attached to district No. 55 accordingly. John Humphrey was authorized a partial payment of \$691.84 on Job-2206, and the Auditor directed to issue his warrant in payment thereof.

Anna D. Hansner submitted the plat of "Twin Beach" platted from the SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Lots 2, 3 and 4, N 1/2 of Lot 1, and N. 400 ft. of Lot 5, all in Section 6, Township 137, Range 27.

On motion, the same was approved. John Schmolke submitted the plat of "Pleasant View" platted from Lot 7, Section 32, Township 43, Range 28.

On motion, the same was approved. On motion, \$25.00 each was appropriated to the following American Legion Posts to help cover the costs of Memorial Day Exercises:

Carl Sidney Hanson Post No. 255, Brainerd.

Clarence A. Nelson Post No. 154, Crosby.

Ben Kruger Post No. 49, Pequot.

On motion duly carried by the unanimous vote of all members of the Board, it is ordered that no damages be paid or allowed by Crow Wing County to the owners or those interested in the lands affected by reason of the establishment or construction of the road designated as State Road No. 5 by the County Board and duly ordered and established by said Board on July 17th, 1922, for the reason that said Board duly determines that the benefits to all of said property equals the damages to same.

The Board set the date of May 13th to meet as a committee of the whole to view State Road No. 3 and the road to Breezy Point.

The Mining Inspector's Report was received and accepted and three hundred copies ordered printed.

Petitions were received signed by K. C. Haselhorst, John F. Flanagan, J. J. Stock and Minnie C. Wolfgram asking for the resurvey of Sections 2 and 3, Township 136, Range 28.

On motion, the same was laid on the table.

The County Engineer was instructed to maintain Ash Avenue and Mill Street within the City of Brainerd, providing the City agrees to reimburse the county for the costs.

The Auditor was authorized to increase the pay by ten dollars a month of janitors George Leese and George Stevens effective May 1st, 1923, and disburse with the services of fireman N. M. Hubbard on May 15th, 1923.

The following applications were granted subject to the approval of the Minnesota Tax Commission:

D. B. McAlpine, for a reduction in the valuation of NE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 28-47-29 for years 1920, 1921 and 1922.

D. B. McAlpine, for a reduction in the valuation of NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 34-47-29 for years 1920, 1921 and 1922.

D. B. McAlpine, for a reduction in the valuation of SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 20-47-29 for years 1920, 1921 and 1922.

J. C. Callahan, for a reduction in the valuation of NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 16-44-31.

Belle A. Porter, for a reduction in the valuation of S 1/2 NW 1/4, Section 28, and S 1/2 NE 1/4, Section 29, all in Township 44, Range 31.

R. E. Cody, for a reduction in the valuation of Lot 14, Block 3, A. E. Taylor's Addition to the City of Brainerd.

Margaret A. Cullen, for a reduction in the valuation of Part of Lot 18, Block 41, Town of Brainerd.

Sam Clay, for a reduction in the valuation of E 1/2 of NE 1/4 SW 1/4 and S 1/2 SW 1/4, Section 29, Township 44, Range 31.

Geo. O. Richardson, for a reduction in the valuation of Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, Section 36-47-30.

Peter Anderson, for a reduction in the valuation of NE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 32-44-31.

Martin Johnson, for a reduction in the valuation of W. 25 ft. of Lots 7 to 12, and E. 50 ft. of Lots 13 to 15, Block 160, Town of Brainerd.

Chester Saunders, for a reduction in the valuation of Lot 9, Block 19, Keating's Addition to Crosby.

E. Josephine Pratt, Clerk of School District No. 106, for the cancellation of taxes for years 1913 to 1922 inclusive on Lot 1, Block 3, Merrifield, owned by said school district.

Herman Teiken, Sec'y St. James Catholic Church, for the cancellation of taxes for years 1920 to 1922 inclusive on E. 5 acres of Lot 3, Section 22, and E. 4 acres of W. 7 acres of Lot 1, Section 23, Township 136, Range 25, and said lands to be exempt from taxation for future years.

The following applications were rejected:

Wm. Musolf, for a reduction in the valuation of S. 10 acres of N. 16 acres of SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 11-136-29.

R. E. Cody, for a reduction in the valuation of Lots 23 to 30, Block 2, A. E. Taylor's Addition to the City of Brainerd.

John Schmolke, for a reduction in the valuation of all of Section 27, Township 43, Range 28, except SW 1/4 SW 1/4.

E. I. duPont de Nemours & Company, for a reduction in their personal property assessment in the Village of Cuyuna.

The application of Martin Swanson for a reduction in the valuation of N 1/2 of N 1/2 of NE 1/4, Section 2-44-30 was referred to Commissioner Dewing for investigation.

The following report of the Board of Audit was received:

We, the undersigned Board of Audit of Said Crow Wing County, met at the office of the County Treasurer of said County, on the 30th day of April, A. D. 1923 for the purpose of examining and auditing the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of S. R. Adair, Treasurer of said County, and to count and ascertain the kind and description and amount of funds in the County Treasury and belonging thereto.

We respectfully make the following report thereon:

Balance in the Treasury on Dec. 31st, 1922, date of last report.....\$231,923.40

Treasurer's Receipts from Jan. 1st, 1923, to April 30th, 1923:

From Tax Collections.....\$189,347.76

From Collections on Public

Lands 694.93

From Collections on Private Redemptions 3,518.21

From Collections on Interest on County Funds 1,059.13

From Collections of Fines and Licenses 551.00

From Collections of Wolf Bounty 478.50

From Collections of Mortgage Registration Tax 2,893.20

From School Apportionment 46.62

From Misc. Co. Rev. Collections 89.21

From State Road & Bridge Aid 257.86

From Reimbursement City of Brainerd 500.00

From Reimbursement Morrison County 1,558.10

From Rental of Tractor 168.00

From City of Brainerd, Special Assessments 629.34

From Bond Int. Reimbursement from State 16,129.90

From Inheritance Tax 1,782.53

From Teacher's Ins. & Retirement Fund 438.90

From App'n. to Special Road & Bridge Fund 25.00

Total Balance & Receipts.....\$452,091.59

By disbursements from Jan. 1st, 1923, to May 1st, 1923, as follows:

Paid Orders on Revenue Fund \$24,666.79

Paid Orders on Poor Fund 20.00

Paid Warrants on Private Redemption Fund 5,318.85

Paid Warrants on Road & Bridge Fund 32,122.82

Paid Warrants on Bond & Interest Fund 11,986.13

Paid Warrants on General Ditch Fund 935.00

Paid Warrants on Incident Fund 316.27

Paid Warrants on Town Funds 70,886.97

Paid Warrants on School District Fund 99,326.33

Paid Warrants on Sanatorium 3,045.49

Paid Warrants on Refunding 1,621.86

Paid Warrants on Inheritance 1,782.53

Paid Warrants on Teacher's Ins. & Ret. Fund 767.90

Total disbursements.....\$252,796.94

Balance in Treasury at close of business, April 30th, 1923 199,294.65

as appears from the books of said County Treasurer.

We find said Treasurer in the possession of funds covering said balance in kind and amounts as follows:

Cash in Safe and Drawer..... 169.37

Cash Items, Checks, money Orders 233.38

Deposited in Brainerd First National Bank 52,411.73

Deposited in Brainerd Citizens State Bank 23,071.71

Deposited in Brainerd State Bank 23,935.50

Deposited in Deerwood First National 10,325.16

Deposited in Pequot First State 5,843.44

Deposited in Crosby First National 10,000.00

Deposited in Cuyuna First State 5,000.00

Deposited in Crosby First State 5,000.00

Deposited in Ironton First National 10,000.00

Deposited in Ironton First State 5,000.00

Deposited in Barrows First State 1,584.06

Deposited in Pequot Farmers State 6,000.00

Deposited in Jenkins State 5,035.05

Deposited in Riverton First State 5,000.00

Deposited in Fort Ripley State 5,000.00

Deposited in Pequot First National 10,500.00

Deposited in Trommald State 5,000.00

Deposited in Brainerd Commercial State 10,000.00

Town Orders 155.05

District School Orders..... 30.20

Total Funds \$199,294.65

Verification of current tax collections for the period from January 1st, 1923, to April 30th, 1923, both days inclusive.

Tax Levy for year 1922.....\$1,151,780.60

Additions to the Levy..... 981.56

Total Debit \$1,152,762.06

Taxes Collected 147,854.36

Taxes abated 2,944.30

Total Credit 150,798.66

Balance uncollected April 30th 1,001,963.40

We hereby certify that we have verified the correctness of the foregoing statement by checking the duplicate receipts with the tax books for the period above named.

Board of Audit, Crow Wing County—

Wm. A. Syreen, Chairman, County Board.

C. W. Mahlum, County Auditor.

W. A. M. Johnston, Clerk of District Court.

W. W. Wells, Trustee, submitted a claim for \$500.00 damages caused by the construction of a road over Lot 2, Section 9, Township 45, Range 28.

On motion, the same was laid on the table.

The following bills were allowed:

Loretto C. Newman, expenses, Ex. Sec'y, Child Welfare Board \$38.06

Mrs. F. A. Knights, expenses, Child Welfare Board 2.22

Thora Ingebritson, expenses, County Nurse, April, 1923 24.29

Lively Auto Co., Storage and Gas for County Nurse's car 10.70

Woodhead Motor Co., gas and oil for County Nurse's car 15.44

August Swanson, expenses, Mining Inspector, April, 1923 14.77

Irma C. Hartley, expenses, Supt. of Schools, April, 1923 80.70

Louis Knudsen, plating and indexing surveys, April, 1923 75.00

C. W. Mahlum, services on Board of Audit 12.00

W. A. Johnston, services on Board of Audit 12.00

Wm. A. Syreen, services on Board of Audit 12.00

Leonard Mathison, Wood for Court House (2 bills) 38.00

A. E. Zak, Wood for Court House 4.50

Frank G. Hall, printing (2 bills) 14.00

Crosby Courier, Printing Court Calendar 32.00

W. A. M. Johnston, Expenses in Printing Court Calendar 2.89

Fred J. Reid, Boarding prisoners, Nesheim, Livery for Deputy Sheriff (2 bills) 40.67

Geo. Syreen, Livery for Deputy Sheriff 5.60

Brainerd Gas & Electric Co., gas service at Co. jail, April, 1923 9.88

N. W. Bell Telephone Co., telephone service for May, 1923 42.50

A. Frank Anderson, witness fees, justice court 4.80

Christ Olander, witness fees, justice court 3.60

George Olander, witness fees, justice court 3.60

Wm. Olander, witness fees, justice court 3.60

Standard Lumber Co., coal for court house 33.78

Sec. Blank Book & Printing Co., Books and blanks (3 bills) 311.82

Miller-Davis Co., blanks and supplies (3 bills) 10.32

Fritz-Cross Co., blanks 24.23

Nat'l Sales & Service Co., supplies 9.00

Iowa-Frye Co., supplies 12.00

Walter M. Murphy, expenses, County Engineer, April, 1923 6.50

A. W. Lyndon, asst't to Co. Engineer, April, 1923 125.00

Wm. Lyndon, asst't to Co. Engineer, April, 1923 112.50

Lewis Montgomery, asst't to Co. Engineer, April, 1923 117.00

Warren Bement, asst't to Co. Engineer, April, 1923 28.50

A. W. Lyndon, car mileage, April, 1923 18.40

Gilbert Sullivan, car mileage, April, 1923 18.60

Sec. Blank Book & Printing Co., supplies for County Engineer 6.00

Brainerd Tribune Publishing Co., printing for County Engineer 6.00

Woodhead Motor Co., one Ford car 291.77

Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., repair parts for the tractor 35.20

J. L. Hartell, repairs to County Engineer's tools 27.00

Lively Auto Co., gas, oil and repairs to county car 47.73

Home Oil Co., gasoline 20.91

Richard Ahrens, gravel for Mill t. Job-2205 57.66

Albert Morris, services as tractor mechanic 49.50

Johnson Brothers, material for Ft. Ripley-Miss. R. Bridge 181.50

Morrison County Lbr. Co., material for Ft. Ripley-Miss. R. Bridge 97.42

A. B. Peterson, equipment and labor, Ft. Ripley-Miss. R. Bridge 617.91

C. O. Nelson, damages sustained by County Road construction 100.00

P. W. Roark, final estimate SR-1, Job-2105 545.37

On motion, the Board adjourned until June 2nd, 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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IMPROVED MARRIAGE LAWS

NEBRASKA has taken a forward step in passing marriage laws that will help to check some of the evils that have arisen through the lax laws that have been in operation in that state. The new law, which will become effective in the near future, will prevent some of the marriages that, under the old order, would have been recognized in the state. Those intending to marry will be required to apply for a license ten days before the marriage is performed, and, during those ten days, the names of the persons asking the license will be posted on a bulletin board in the clerk's office. These names may be seen by any who are suspicious, and the two persons wishing to marry may be prevented from marrying if parents or guardians offer an objection.

This period of ten days will give time in which to think over sudden decisions and those who, in a moment of enthusiasm, have decided to leap into the marriage state will have ten days in which to reconsider before they present themselves before a clergyman or judge to perform their vows. Many would-be marriages will never be entered into after ten days' thought, and as a result of this, it is to be expected that marriages entered into, after ten days of deliberate consideration, will not be so likely to fail when the parties to the marriages have lived together for one, two or a few days.

The United States needs uniform marriage laws, for so long as neighboring states have lax laws, any state that makes more stringent regulations will not get the full advantage of better laws. Nebraska has been a veritable Gretna Green for young people from adjoining states. This will be ended by the new law and people from these states will be able to act just as foolishly right at home. Wisconsin enacted certain laws which were repealed when it was found that people left Wisconsin to be married in adjacent states.

It would seem that the people of the United States are ready to adopt uniform marriage laws, and that it will not be necessary to seek such a desirable end through constitutional amendment. If a model for such laws were presented to the states, after a conference with interested leaders in the several states, it would have the support of the people quite generally, for the people of the United States are beginning to see that present conditions do not make for the best home life of the nation.

JUDGES are imposing unique sentences these days. Boys are ordered to stay at home nights, automobile speeders are required to look upon those injured through carelessness, and sometimes the guilty are sentenced to attend church.

PLACING a value on the railroads of the United States is a task that will not soon be completed for congress didn't appropriate sufficient to get the work done quickly.

ANNIE LAURIE'S home is to be sold, and while it has a historical value, it isn't used by Annie any longer. She died some time ago.

THE students in a certain college found that the punch had a poison and the poison had a punch.

ANDERSON SEES
GAIN FOR FARMER

Minneapolis, May 15—Farmers within the next year will share in the improved economic conditions of the country, is the opinion of Congressman Sydney Anderson of the first Minnesota district, who is in Minneapolis.

"There is no question about the continuous improvement in trade and industry over the country," said Mr. Anderson.

"One is the increased buying power of the country, due to the quickening of industrial activity. Unless there is a large overproduction on the farm, this should bring a decided betterment in farm prices. The other reason is the change in the balance of trade, which has begun to show an excess of imports over exports."

Mr. Anderson is on his way to St. Louis to speak on "Transportation" at the convention of the National Wholesale Grocers association. As chairman of the joint committee on agricultural inquiry, he has made a study of this question. The committee's work, in the form of reports,

Mr. Anderson said yesterday, has been adopted as a textbook in 30 colleges.

"One result of the inquiry," he said "will be the establishment of a bureau of domestic commerce in the federal department of commerce. The government is beginning to realize that about 90 per cent of its attention has been directed to only 6 per cent of our trade, the export end."

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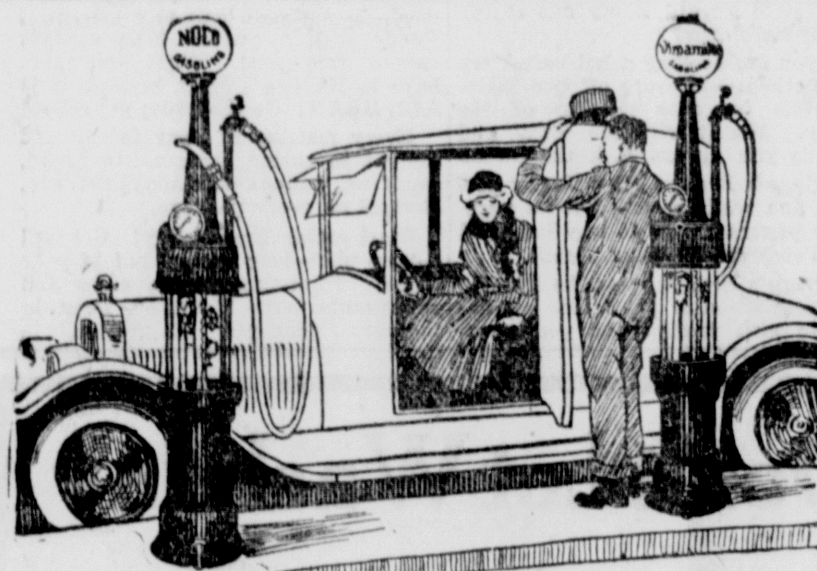
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NEBRASKA has taken a forward step in passing marriage laws that will help to check some of the evils that have arisen through the lax laws that have been in operation in that state. The new law, which will become effective in the near future, will prevent some of the marriages that, under the old order, would have been recognized in the state. Those intending to marry will be required to apply for a license ten days before the marriage is performed, and, during those ten days, the names of the persons asking the license will be posted on a bulletin board in the clerk's office. These names may be seen by any who are suspicious, and the two persons wishing to marry may be prevented from marrying if parents or guardians offer an objection.

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JUDGES are imposing unique sentences these days. Boys are ordered to stay at home nights, automobile speeders are required to look upon those injured through carelessness, and sometimes the guilty are sentenced to attend church.

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GAIN FOR FARMER

Minneapolis, May 15—Farmers within the next year will share in the improved economic conditions of the country, is the opinion of Congressman Sydney Anderson of the first Minnesota district, who is in Minneapolis.

"There is no question about the continuous improvement in trade and industry over the country," said Mr. Anderson.

"One is the increased buying power of the country, due to the quickening of industrial activity." Unless there is a large overproduction on the farms, this should bring a decided betterment in farm prices. The other reason is the change in the balance of trade, which has begun to show an excess of imports over exports."

Mr. Anderson is on his way to St. Louis to speak on "Transportation" at the convention of the National Wholesale Grocers association. As chairman of the joint committee on agricultural inquiry, he has made a study of this question. The committee's work, in the form of reports,

Mr. Anderson said yesterday, has been adopted as a textbook in 30 colleges.

"One result of the inquiry," he said "will be the establishment of a bureau of domestic commerce in the federal department of commerce. The government is beginning to realize that about 90 per cent of its attention has been directed to only 6 per cent of our trade, the export end."

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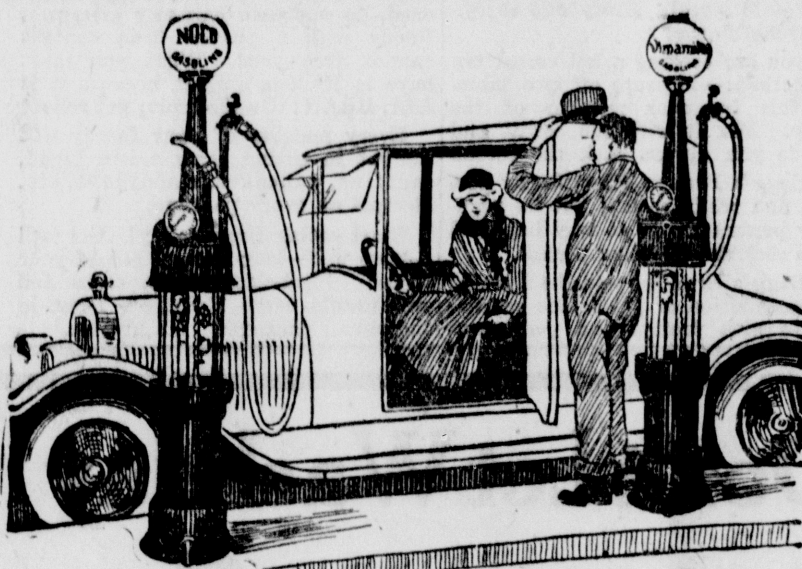
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Gladys Helmers was recently placed with Lahr Motor Sales Co., of Bismarck, at \$140 a month. "Follow the successful" NOW. Write F. L. Watkins, 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D. this very day, for terms, etc.

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There are also two brothers and four sisters, Joseph of Brainerd, Hector of Ft. Ripley, Mrs. John Odette, Mrs. Pelkey and Mrs. Doughty, all of Ft. Ripley and Mrs. Gravelle of Brainerd.

Mr. Daveau was a very devout member of the Catholic faith, and will be greatly missed in that congregation.

Funeral announcements have not been made as yet, but will be given later.

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Mrs. Mary Ahear, a resident of Brainerd for the past thirty years, died Monday night at her home, corner of Laurel and Third streets. During the past winter she suffered a serious attack of influenza, and has been confined to the house ever since. She has been in bed for the past month.

Mrs. Ahear was seventy-six years of age at the time of her death. Her husband, Trifile Ahear, died some thirty years ago. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Olive O'Brien of Neche, N. D., and four sons, David, Peter, John and Fred, all of Brainerd.

Deceased was a member of the Catholic church, from which the funeral will be held on Thursday morning at 8:30. Interment will be made in Evergreen cemetery.

CHARLES DAVEAU DIED

Charles Daveau, well known boiler maker at the Northern Pacific shops, died Tuesday morning at a local hospital after a prolonged illness, Asthma and heart trouble being the cause of death.

Mr. Daveau was born in Quebec, Canada in 1870. At the age of ten years he moved to the United States, living at different points in Minnesota before coming to Brainerd some twenty-seven years ago.

Deceased is survived by his wife, and five children, Mrs. Hermanson of Fargo, N. D., Phillip of Minot, Edwin of Duluth, Albert of Fargo and Clarence of Brainerd. One child died in infancy.

There are also two brothers and four sisters, Joseph of Brainerd, Hector of Ft. Ripley, Mrs. John Odette, Mrs. Pelkey and Mrs. Doucette, all of Ft. Ripley and Mrs. Gravelle of Brainerd.

Mr. Daveau was a very devout member of the Catholic faith, and will be greatly missed in that congregation.

Funeral announcements have not been made as yet, but will be given later.

Paris, May 15.—Battling Sick, former European heavyweight cham-



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is the problem of keeping prices down while keeping up qualities.

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Basement Underwear Bargains Seasonable Underwear 1-3 Off

There are union suits; there are vests; there are women's athletic underwear and there are children's knitted undergarments. These are all sample garments and will sell at 1-3 off regular prices. A grand saving opportunity. Underwear priced from 10c to \$1.00.

Special Prices Continue Until Saturday

All special prices advertised in last night's Dispatch will continue until Saturday. Join the crowds who are taking advantage of them.

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tion, was painfully injured when his pet lion took a bite out of his hand. The same lion caused a panic several days ago when it got loose in a crowded eating place.

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The Northern Pacific is proud of its dining cars. It is proud of the men who operate them and the men who manage the department. They are men you would be proud of, too—friendly, hospitable, efficient, anxious to satisfy to the utmost every single guest.

Our dining cars do things not just "good enough," but the very best way in which they can be done. Note the silverware for example. It is not "just clean." It shines! Three times every day, whether used or not, every piece of silverware on each dining car is polished. Not just washed. Polished! The table linen is always clean. We do not cover over soiled cloths with skimpy "tops"; we remove soiled cloths and use full linen covers of finest quality.

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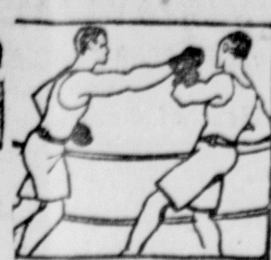
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SPORTS



FANNING WITH ARRELL

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

Washington 10 11 476
Chicago 9 13 409
Boston 7 13 350

Yesterday's Results

New York 040 020 110 008—16 21 0
Detroit 000 000 305 003—11 16 4
Batteries—Shawkey, Bush and Schang; Holloway, Olsen, Cole, Johnson and Bassler.

R. H. E.
Philadelphia 0 0 0 5 0 0 4 0 0—9 9 0
Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 6 5

Batteries—Hasty and Perkins; Faber and Schalk, Graham, Dorman.

R. H. E.
Washington 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—3 8 2
Cleveland 5 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 x—6 10 1

Batteries—Johnson and Ruel; Uhle and Myatt.

Boston-St. Louis, postponed, rain.

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Boston at St. Louis.
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Washington at Cleveland.

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W. L. Pct.
Kansas City 14 4 .778
St. Paul 13 7 .650

Louisville 13 8 .619
Columbus 13 9 .591

Toledo 8 11 .421
Milwaukee 7 12 .368

Minneapolis 6 12 .333
Indianapolis 7 15 .318

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Others not scheduled.

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Detroit 13 12 .520

St. Louis 11 12 .478

1200 SLEEPERS

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FORTY MILES OF SIDE TRACKS TO BE BUILT AT SHELBY SOON

(By United Press)
Shelby, Mont., May 15.—Under the supervision of Ralph Budd, president of the Great Northern railroad, engineers started a survey to put in forty miles of side tracks to handle the 1,200 sleepers that will be brought here for the Dempsey-Gibbons fight on July 4th.

Three new depots are also to be built.

One hundred carpenters started work on the arena today and the contract calls for its completion within thirty days.

Eddie Kane, manager of Tommy Gibbons, announced that Gibbons will arrive at Havre on Thursday with his wife and three children and that his family will remain with him while he is training.

Dempsey and Jack Kearns will arrive in Great Falls on Saturday.

Mike Collins, one of the promoters, announced that 1,500 applications for tickets were received in one mail yesterday and that the advance sale has already reached \$250,000.

FIRPO AND WILLARD

AGREE ON FIGHT

(By United Press)

New York, May 16.—Luis Angel Firpo and Jess Willard, runners up for the heavyweight championship assured Tex Rickard that they would fight for him anywhere not later than July 7th, it was announced officially at Rickard's headquarters here today.

Firpo and Willard agreed to work on a percentage basis, it was said.

Rickard declared Jack Kearns, manager of Dempsey had agreed that the winner of the fight would be given a match with the champion. The place has not yet been decided upon, although Rickard is attempting to lease the Yankee stadium here for the bout.

HAGEN AND SARAZEN

QUALIFY IN TOURNEY

Leeds, England, May 15.—Walter Hagen and Gene Sarazen, the American professionals were among the first twenty in the qualified round of the Yorkshire Evening News \$3,000 prize championships.

The 32 best cards for today and tomorrow will qualify. R. G. Wilson lead the field with 68.

Griffith's Mystery Picture a Treat

Something new—ever the cry in motion pictures—has come with D. W. Griffith's latest film, "One Exciting Night."



CAROL DEMPSTER in D. W. GRIFFITH'S "ONE EXCITING NIGHT"

Exciting Night," which is showing at the Lyceum theatre for the last time tonight.

Here is a treat. In the past years, many an innovation has come to the screen, but this latest handiwork of Griffith's is different; it is new; and it is refreshing.

"Hungry Hearts" at Lyceum

Human hearts are the same all over the world and a story or picture which depicts emotions that are common to all is destined to have a universal appeal, no matter in

what country or city its action takes place. Such a photoplay is promised the public in "Hungry Hearts," Goldwyn's picturization of the volume of short stories written by Anzia Yezierska, which comes to the Lyceum theatre tomorrow and Thursday. The dramatic and spiritual qualities that marked Miss Yezierska's short stories have been retained in the picture.

The story of this family which crossed the ocean to New York in search of liberty, justice, and the lofty ideals which they believed were to be found here, is told naturally and yet most dramatically, with an underlying stratum of humor and comedy which nature mingles in the comedy of human life.

policeman. It is a towering tribute to the honorable motives that actuate the average policeman in the performance of his duties. In addition it is a bulwark of entertainment.

Such was the glowing tribute paid to Emory Johnson's sensational police drama "In the Name of the Law," just released by the Film Booking Offices of America and scheduled for exhibition for the first time at the Park theatre on Wednesday and Thursday.

The fact that Lieutenant Regan is the leading traffic authority connected with the police department that safeguards the welfare of 6,600,000 souls should be borne in mind when one considers what the noted policeman has to say about the high qualities of a motion picture.

Eleven Signal Corps Men Killed Taking "Powder River" War Pictures

Actual motion pictures taken on the western front at the cost of eleven members of the Signal Corps of the United States army, will be shown at the Park theatre, last time



Lieutenant Martin Regan Gives Warm Praise to "In the Name of the Law"

"At last I have seen a motion picture that does full justice to the

tonight under the auspices of the American Legion of this city. The proceeds of the show will be used for the relief fund of the organization.

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Kitchen girl wanted at Ransford Hotel. 6697-29113

WANTED—Chambermaid at Ransford. 6713-29213

WANTED—Waitress, Hewitt Cafe. Corner 6th and Laurel. 6670-29013

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1006 Laurel. Phone 842-J. 6699-29113

WANTED—Strong girls for maid work at Breezy Point Lodge. Apply Housekeeper. 6719-29213

WANTED—By elderly widower with one child, housekeeper, state wages. Write 100 care Dispatch. 6717-29213

WANTED—A girl for general housework also a cook and general housework girl. Good wages. Address Mrs. B. Magoffin Jr. Deerwood Minn. 6673-29016

FOR SALE

Minnows for sale at 910 6th Ave. N. E. 6722-29213

FOR SALE—Good range cheap at 708 So. 3rd St. 6698-29112

FOR SALE—16 inch cement blocks. 1409 Norwood St. 6648-288tmo

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Kitchen cupboard for sale, good as new. 801 So. 7th St. 6723-29212

FOR SALE—Six room house with bath. Apply 702 So. 10th St. 6725-29215

FOR SALE—Classy Ford coupe, sport model. 814 So. Third. 6711-29213p

FOR SALE—Eight horse power saw rig. Almost new. 809 Ivy Street. 6714-29213

Tame hay for sale at \$17.00 per ton. C. S. Everest, 807 So. 7th St. Phone 494-W. 6707-29212

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FOR SALE—Five room house, all modern at 216 3rd Street North. Phone 659-M. 6400-2711f

FOR SALE—House and three lots, corner Kingwood and Bluff Ave. Geo. Taege. 6680-29114

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FOR SALE—House at 819 Main Street. Near business district and shops. 6207-2586od

FOR SALE—4 room house with 3 lots, 1013 Rosewood street. 6703-29111o

FOR SALE—Baby buggy in fine condition. Inquire 407 4th St. No. or phone 481. 6449-2741f

FOR SALE, CASH OR TRADE—Ford car, one work team, one set harness, one wagon, and bob sled. Write Box 453 Crosby, Minnesota. 6715-29216

FOR SALE—Yellow tamarack fence posts. Roy Cook, Route 2, Brainerd. Phone 23-F-310. 6705-2212

FOR SALE—Pure bred Rouen duck eggs for hatching \$1.50 for 11. Wm. McCall. Tele. 42-F-5 Route 5, Brainerd, Minn. 6669-29013

FOR SALE—Dodge car, two set heavy harness, one express wagon, one set dump planks. C. E. McPherson Barrows. 6681-29113

FOR SALE—193 acres at Red Sand Lake in Sec. 35-134-29 and Sec. 2-133-29. A bargain for cash. H. Warner, Gardner block. Brainerd Minn. 6692-2911f

FOR SALE—Heater, cook stove, gas plate, writing desk, beds, kitchen cabinet, rockers, commode, mason jars. 424 3rd Ave. N. E. 6689-29115

FOR SALE—5 room cottage, large lot. Mill district. \$600. Cheap home for one who will repair it. Nettleton. 6701-29113

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FOR SALE—Dry tamarack wood, delivered \$8.50 per cord. Roy Cook. Phone 23-F-310. 6704-29213

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FOR SALE—Team of young mares, cheap if taken at once. Turcotte Bros. 6433-2731f

FOR SALE—1918 Ford with 1923 license paid. Price \$120.00. Also sewing machine for sale. 411 So. 5th St. 6724-29213

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—My equity in 120 acres good clay soil. New house and barn, good water, 10 miles No. of Pillager, for 5 room house, or 5 passenger automobile. P. C. Nelson, 223 10th St. No. Phone 278-L-W. 6706-29212

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1920 \$249
1917 \$150
See Auctioneer Conkin
RANSFORD GARAGE

FOR SALE—4 room cottage, south side, good as new, nicely finished, maple floors, full basement. A bargain at only \$1600. Very easy terms. J. R. Smith. 6672-29013

FOR SALE—Three quarter Violin Classic Pointer range used three months, also laundry stove with hot water connections. Will sell reasonable. Phone 870-W. 319 No. 9th St. 6643-2881f

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1200 SLEEPERS

PARKED FOR FIGHT

FORTY MILES OF SIDE TRACKS
TO BE BUILT AT SHELBY
SOON

(By United Press)
Shelby, Mont., May 15.—Under the supervision of Ralph Budd, president of the Great Northern railroad, engineers started a survey to put in forty miles of side tracks to handle the 1,200 sleepers that will be brought here for the Dempsey-Gibbons fight on July 4th.

Three new depots are also to be built.

One hundred carpenters started work on the arena today and the contract calls for its completion within thirty days.

Eddie Kane, manager of Tommy Gibbons, announced that Gibbons will arrive at Havre on Thursday with his wife and three children and that his family will remain with him while he is training.

Dempsey and Jack Kearns will arrive in Great Falls on Saturday.

Mike Collins, one of the promoters, announced that 1,500 applications for tickets were received in one mail yesterday and that the advance sale has already reached \$280,000.

FIRPO AND WILLARD

AGREE ON FIGHT

(By United Press)
New York, May 16.—Luis Angel Firpo and Jess Willard, runners up for the heavyweight championship assured Tex Rickard that they would fight for him anywhere not later than July 7th, it was announced officially at Rickard's headquarters here today.

Firpo and Willard agreed to work on a percentage basis, it was said.

Rickard declared Jack Kearns, manager of Dempsey had agreed that the winner of the fight would be given a match with the champion. The place has not yet been decided upon, although Rickard is attempting to lease the Yankee stadium here for the bout.

HAGEN AND SARAZEN

QUALIFY IN TOURNEY

Leeds, England, May 15.—Walter Hagen and Gene Sarazen, the American professionals were among the first twenty in the qualified round of the Yorkshire Evening News \$3,000 prize championships.

The 32 best cards for today and tomorrow will qualify. R. G. Wilson lead the field with 68.

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what country or city its action takes place. Such a photoplay is promised the public in "Hungry Hearts," Goldwyn's picturization of the volume of short stories written by Anzia Yezierska, which comes to the Lyceum theatre tomorrow and Thursday. The dramatic and spiritual qualities that marked Miss Yezierska's short stories have been retained in the picture.

The story of this family which crossed the ocean to New York in search of liberty, justice, and the lofty ideals which they believed were to be found here, is told naturally and yet most dramatically, with an underlying stratum of humor and comedy which nature mingles in the comedy of human life.

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